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on Muslim schools from the statutory contribution paid under the proviso to section 37 of the Madras Elementary Education Act, 1920.

(*d*) & (*e*) The Government have no information and do not propose to call for the particulars from the taluk boards.

Excise

Excise Sub-Inspectors.

* 141 *Q.*—Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the 41 candidates selected for the Excise Department as Sub-Inspectors during December last were intended to be employed during 1932;

(*b*) how many of them have been appointed so far;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that a period of training precedes that of appointment; and

(*d*) whether it is a fact that candidates so trained are sent home to wait for their chances of appointment?

A.—(*a*) *to* (*d*) The Government have no information. A report has been called for.

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN:—"Will the hon. Minister call for the information and make it available to us?"

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR:—"A report has been called for."

Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN:—"Will it be placed on the table of the House?"

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR:—"After it is received, the hon. Member's suggestion will be considered."

Diwan Bahadur R. N. AROGYASWAMI MUDALIYAR:—"Are the appointments made from the candidates selected every year or from the list of candidates already selected in the previous year and awaiting employment? What is the object of selection every year?"

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. KUMARASWAMI REDDIYAR:—"It is a general question which I cannot answer without notice. It affects all services."

Medical Administration

Transfer of the District Medical Officer of South Kanara.

* 142 *Q.*—Mr. U. C. SUBRAHMANYA BHATT: Will the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that Mr. Ganapathi Ayyar, the District Medical Officer of South Kanara, has been ordered to be transferred within about six months of his transfer to Mangalore;